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SUBJECT: POSSIBLE ROC PETROLEUM SURPLUS

1. DEPARTMENT INFORMALLY ADVISED BY ROC EMBASSY THAT CHINESE PETROLEUM CORPORATION (CPC) HAS SURPLUS OF CERTAIN LIGHTER PETROLEUM DISTILLATE FUELS. PROBLEM APPARENTLY ARISES BECAUSE ROC NORMALLY EXPORTS MOST SUCH PRODUCTS TO JAPAN (USDOL 7.4 MILLION IN 1972) BUT ARAB STATES ARE NOW IMPOSING REEXPORT RESTRICTIONS.

2. REQUEST EMBASSY APPROACH CPC TO CONFIRM ABOVE AND
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DETERMINE WHAT PRODUCTS ARE SURPLUS. EMBASSY SHOULD IN-

QUIRE WHETHER CPC WOULD BE WILLING TO SELL THESE COMMODITIES TO SOUTH VIETNAM AND CAMBODIA.

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